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Serial No.:

10/677,165 (Reissue Application of U.S. Patent No. 5,903,260 issued

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Title:

DISPLAY AND DISPLAY DRIVER WITH ON/OFF POWER

CONTROLLER USED TO PREVENT DAMAGE TO THE DISPLAY

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Seiko Epson Corporation, assignee (by assignment recorded in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on April 13, 1992, at Reel 6088, Frame 361) of U.S. Patent No. 5,903,260 (granted on May 11, 1999), hereby consents to this reissue application. U.S. Letters Patent 5,903,260 was surrendered in parent Reissue Application No. 09/854,349, filed May 11, 2001.

The evidentiary documents have been reviewed and the undersigned hereby certifies that, to the best of assignee's knowledge and belief, title is in the aforesaid assignee. The undersigned hereby confirms that he has authority to sign this consent on behalf of the assignee.

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